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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
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v.)
)
JONG WEON CHOI, aka Alex Choi,)
Defendant.)

Docket No. 5:19-cr-76-3

NOTICE OF DISMISSAL

Pursuant to Rule 48(a) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure and by leave of Court endorsed hereon, the United States Attorney for the District of Vermont hereby dismisses the Indictment against defendant JONG WEON CHOI, aka Alex Choi, without prejudice, in the above-captioned case.

Choi has not entered the United States or appeared before the Court during the pendency of this matter. The government made an official request to the Republic of Korea for evidence and testimony in 2017. While the government has obtained various materials from Korea pursuant to this request, it has been unable to obtain what it now believes to be important evidence relating to the case against Choi. In light of these difficulties, as well as the resolution of the cases against the co-defendants, dismissal of the Indictment at this time is in the interests of justice.

Dated at Burlington, in the District of Vermont, this 24th day of June, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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Leave of Court is granted for the filing of the foregoing dismissal and the Indictment is hereby dismissed.

27 June 2022
DATE



HON. GEOFFREY W. CRAWFORD
Chief United States District Judge